



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **WAKI, Minoru et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1714

Serial No.: 09/916,316

Examiner: **Callie E. Shosho**

Filed: **July 30, 2001**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 8006

For: **WATER-BASED INK COMPOSITION FOR INK-JET PRINTING, INK-JET PRINTING METHOD USING THE SAME AND PRINTED MATTER**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 17, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **July 18, 2003**, extended to **November 18, 2003**, by a one-month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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